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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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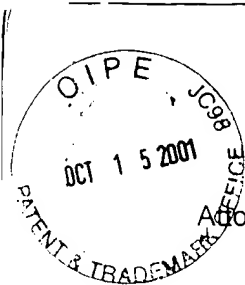
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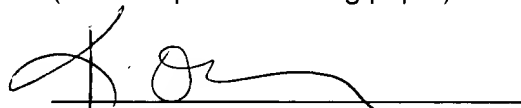
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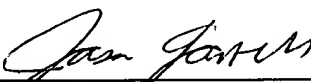
Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts dated August 10, 2001 (a copy thereof is attached hereto), Applicants submit the Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney signed and dated by Applicants for the above-captioned application.

Please charge the required fee, estimated to be \$130.00, to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1701. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 10, 2001



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